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STATE CO-OPERATIVE ELECTION COMMISSION, ODISHA

NOTIFICATION

The 5th March, 2025

S.R.O.No.156/2025 — Whereas, it has been brought to the notice of the Commission by the Deputy Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Khordha Division, Khordha vide her Letter No.516, dated the 28th February, 2025 that Sri Biswa Ranjan Mohanty a Committee member of Constituency No.1 (UR) as well as President of the Capital Cooperative Housing Ltd. has been disqualified to continue as a member of Committee of Management as well as President of the Capital Cooperative Housing Ltd. as per Provision U/s. 28 (3) (p) of the OCS Act, 1962.

Whereas, Sri Biswa Ranjan Mohanty had challenged the notice of the DRCS, Khordha Division, Khordha before the Hon'ble High Court of Orissa vide W.P.(C) No. 29872 of 2024 along with W.P.(C) No.18920 of 2024 and the Hon'ble High Court has dismissed the petition citing lack of merit and ground for intervention by the Court.

Whereas, it has been requested by the Chief Executive the Capital Cooperative Housing Ltd. and the DRCS, Khordha Division to fill up the vacancy in the office of member of Constituency No.1 (UR) as well as President of the said Society arising by reason of disqualification.

Now, therefore, it is ordered that the vacancy in the office of member in Constituency No. 01(UR) of the Capital Cooperative Housing Ltd. under Assistant Registrar of Cooperative Societies, Bhubaneswar City Circle shall be filled up in the same manner as it was originally filled up as required U/s. 28(6) of OCS Act, 1962.

Sri Amiya Khuntia, SARCS, O/o. the ARCS, Bhubaneswar City Circle, Bhubaneswar is hereby appointed as the Election Officer of the Capital Cooperative Housing Ltd. to conduct the election of the office of member of Constituency No. 1(UR) of the Society with a direction to take up the election programme for the said Constituency by publication of the schedule of election from the stage of filing of nomination so as to conduct the poll, if necessary, on **dated 6th April, 2025** by following the due procedure as

prescribed in the OCS Act,1962 & OCS (Elections to the Committees) Rules,1992 and Circulars/Guidelines issued by this Commission from time to time.

He is also to take up election programme for the post of President thereafter fixing poll date, if necessary, following due procedure laid down in the relevant election rule 4(3) and (4) of OCS (Elections to the Committees) Rules,1992.

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By Order and in the name of

State Co-operative Election Commission, Odisha

P.K. MOHANTY

SECRETARY